



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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June 9, 2011

Mr. Randy Nelson
Credit Director
CHS – Country Operations
5500 Cenex Drive
Inver Grove Heights, MN 55077

Re: Ground Water Permit No. G3-29018

Dear Mr. Nelson:

In response to your request, you are hereby granted an extension to put the water to full beneficial use for the reason(s) below:

The Proof of Appropriation has been withdrawn, and an application for change is proposed to be filed to add a well to the underlying permit. The application for change is to be filed with the Grant County Water Conservancy Board.

The new deadline to submit your *Proof of Appropriation of Water* is December 1, 2014 or until such time the application for change is acted on, whichever is later. If the Water Conservancy Board adjusts the development schedule of the permit due to the consideration of the permit conditions, the new development schedule will supersede this date.

YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have a right to appeal this action to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of this document. The appeal process is governed by Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

To appeal, you must do the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this document:

- File your appeal and a copy of this document with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.
- Serve a copy of your appeal and this document on Ecology in paper form - by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) Email is not accepted.



You must also comply with other applicable requirements in Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses
Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive SE Lacey, WA 98503	Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia, WA 98504-7608
Pollution Control Hearings Board 1111 Israel Road SW Suite 301 Tumwater , WA 98501	Pollution Control Hearings Board PO Box 40903 Olympia, WA 98504-0903

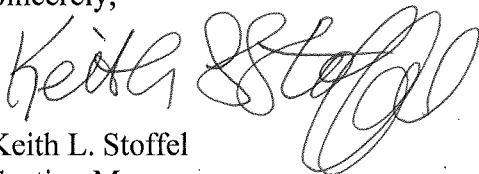
Please also send a copy of your appeal to:

Mr. Keith L. Stoffel
Department of Ecology
Eastern Regional Office
4601 North Monroe Street
Spokane, WA 99205-1295

*For additional information visit the Environmental Hearings Office Website:
<http://www.eho.wa.gov> . To find laws and agency rules visit the Washington State Legislature
Website: <http://www1.leg.wa.gov/CodeReviser> .*

If you have any questions, please contact Kevin Brown at 509-329-3422.

Sincerely,



Keith L. Stoffel
Section Manager
Water Resources Program
Eastern Regional Office

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Enclosures: *Proof of Appropriation of Water*
Your Right to Be Heard